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CADHERIN DERIVED GROWTH FACTOR AND ITS USE

AMENDMENT

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Sir:

The instant paper responds to the Office Action mailed May 2, 2003.

Amendments to the claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

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